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This is in response to the petition filed April 28, 2004, to make the above-identified application special under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.102(d). The delay in acting on this petition was the delay in processing through the Office of Initial Patent Examination.

Applicant has satisfied the provisions set forth in M.P.E.P. 708.02, XII. Therefor the petition is **GRANTED**.

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